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VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

Thomas Andersen
Acting Assistant General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N W
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**Re: MUR 5835
Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee**

Dear Mr Andersen

As counsel to the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, we received the General Counsel's probable cause recommendation in the above-referenced matter on July 7

Because we require additional time to review the General Counsel's brief and respond effectively, we respectfully request an extension to respond until Monday, August 11, 2008 We will request an oral hearing before the Commission at that time

We appreciate your consideration of this request Please do not hesitate to contact us directly at (202) 434-1654 if you have questions or concerns

Very truly yours,

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